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Albuquerque Attorney Indicted on Seven Additional Counts of Tax Evasion

Albuquerque – On February 24, 2009, the Grand Jury for the Second Judicial District Court in Bernalillo County indicted Daniel M. Salazar, of Albuquerque, on seven counts of tax evasion for willfully attempting to evade or defeat his New Mexico Gross Receipts Tax during 2007 and 2008.

Mr. Salazar, an Albuquerque attorney, was previously indicted on April 21, 2008 on eight counts of willfully attempting to evade or defeat his New Mexico Gross Receipts Tax during the years 2005 and 2006. A trial date on the original charges has been set for June 22, 2009. If convicted, Mr. Salazar could face the possibility of imprisonment of one year and a fine of up to \$10,000 on each count.

The case was a result of an investigation by the New Mexico Taxation and Revenue Department's Tax Fraud Investigations Division, and is being prosecuted by New Mexico Attorney General Gary King's Office.

To report suspected tax fraud against the State of New Mexico, call the Tax Fraud Hotline at 1-866-457-6789.

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